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I appeared at the Wallace Library this morning before the Special Study Mission of the House Foreign Affairs Committee to report on the various European integration programs. The delegation consisted of the following:

Rep. Lawrence Smith, R., from Wisconsin;
Rep. Winston Prouty, R., from Vermont;
Rep. Burr T. Harrison, D., from Virginia;
Rep. Albert P. Morano, R., from Montana;
Rep. Margaret Church, R., from Illinois;
Mr. Roy J. Bullock, Committee staff consultant;
Mr. William Knight, State Department.

Afterwards we went to lunch with the Dillons at the Embassy residence, into which they have just moved. They have done a wonderful job of fixing it up. It looks very attractive and we had an excellent lunch and a very pleasant time with the Congressmen, Bill Draper, Bill Batt and other guests.

I went to call on Alexandre Parodi at the Foreign Office this afternoon. It is the first time I have seen him since he came back here. He talked to me entirely frankly about his personal views on the EDC and the EPC. He fears domination of these enterprises by the Germans in the absence of British participation. He has arrived at this position after frequent searchings of conscience and told me he felt that he might eventually resign from the Foreign Office because of the policies favored in this regard by the Government. I shall, of course, say nothing of this to anyone.

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